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## MOTION BY SUPERVISOR ZEV YAROSLAVSKY

January 31, 2006

February 1, 2006 is the 20<sup>th</sup> annual National Girls & Women in Sports Day. This day provides an opportunity to celebrate the participation of girls and women in sports and athletics. There has been a dramatic increase in the number of girls who participate in high school athletics since Title IX was enacted in 1971. Currently, one in three girls participates in high school athletics. Sports provide an opportunity to learn about teamwork, goal-setting, and the pursuit of excellence in performance and to develop achievement-oriented behaviors.

I, THEREFORE, MOVE that the Board of Supervisors hereby proclaims February 1, 2006 to be "Girls and Women in Sports Day" in the County of Los Angeles, and all residents are hereby urged to recognize with appreciation the contributions these inspirational athletes have made to the advancement of athletic achievement and excellence.

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